

H. J. R. No. 7, to Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

Bill and Resolutions Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate, after giving due notice, the following bill and resolutions:

- H. B. No. 2.
- S. C. R. No. 9.
- H. C. R. No. 15.
- H. C. R. No. 20.

Adjournment

On motion of Senator Graves, the Senate, at 12:45 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

(Tuesday, February 13, 1945)

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called, and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

A quorum was announced present.

The Reverend J. E. Chester, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and by unanimous consent, the reading of the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday was dispensed with and the Journal approved.

Leaves of Absence Granted

Senators Spears, Kelley, and Shivers were granted leave of absence for today on account of important business on motion of Senator Mauritz.

Senate Bills on First Reading

The following bills were introduced, read first time, and referred to the committees indicated:

By Senator Vick:

S. B. No. 139, A bill to be entitled "An Act permitting trolling from a boat for taking fish on Lake Waco, repealing conflicting laws or parts of laws, and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Game and Fish.

By Senator Vick:

S. B. No. 140, A bill to be entitled "An Act appropriating from the State Highway Funds \$1750.00 to pay a judgment rendered in the District Court for the Fifty-third Judicial District of Texas, Travis County, Texas, in Cause No. 55,110, styled D. F. Jones Construction Company vs. The State of Texas et al, in favor of D. F. Jones Construction Company and against the State of Texas in the amount of \$1750.00; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Vick:

S. B. No. 141, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of One Hundred Three Dollars and Twenty Cents (\$103.20) out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for refund in over-payment of Inheritance Tax paid in connection with the estate of Mrs. Ida B. Arbuckle by Agnes A. Wright, her daughter, and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Vick:

S. B. No. 142, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation of \$160.04 out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for refund on inheritance tax paid by the Kate Lattimore Spencer Estate, and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Knight:

S. B. No. 143, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an appropriation to pay miscellaneous claims out of any moneys in the Confederate Pension

Warrant Fund not otherwise appropriated; authorizing payment by the Comptroller of Public Accounts; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Public Debts, Claims and Accounts.

By Senator Carney:

S. B. No. 144, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 543 of the Code of Criminal Procedure providing for the contents of the application of a defendant for a continuance if the same be on account of the absence of a witness, repealing Article 544 of the Code of Criminal Procedure; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Senator Carney:

S. B. No. 145, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 4 of Title 8 of the Code of Criminal Procedure by adding thereto Article 632a and providing that in the formation of juries the prospective jurors on their voirdire examination shall be examined by all parties collectively unless otherwise ordered by the court and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Senator Carney:

S. B. No. 146, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 634 of the Code of Criminal Procedure providing for the number of peremptory challenges for both the State and defendant or defendants in non-capital felony cases, and declaring an emergency."

To Committee of Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Senator Carney:

S. B. No. 147, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 635 of the Code of Criminal Procedure providing for the number of peremptory challenges for both the State and the defendant in misdemeanor cases tried in the district court or in the county court or county court at law, and further providing for the number of challenges for both the State and the defendant if two or more defendants are tried together in either of such courts; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Senator Crawford:

S. B. No. 148, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 2675b, Section 5 (f) of Acts, 1929, 41st Legislature, 2nd Called Session, Chapter 10, increasing the membership of the Textbook Committee, defining qualifications for membership, outlining the duties of the Committee, fixing the compensation of Textbook Committee members, and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Education.

By Senator Morris:

S. B. No. 149, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend parts of Chapter 1, Title 46, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 amending Article 2461, as amended by Acts of 1929, 41st Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 17, page 46, defining the words "Credit Union" and providing for Capital Stock and entrance fees; and by amending Article 2462, as amended by Acts of 1929, 41st Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 17, page 46, as amended by Acts of 1939, 46th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 1, page 221, Section 1, by permitting a credit union to borrow money not to exceed fifty per cent of its capital and surplus; and by amending Article 2477, as amended by Acts of 1929, 41st Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 17, page 46, Section 1, as amended by Acts of 1939, 46th Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 1, page 221, section 3, by providing for the conditions for the making of loans, and removing the limitation of the period for which loans may be made; and by amending Article 2481, providing for the time, manner and amount of dividends that may be declared; and by amending Article 2482, providing for a guaranty fund, the manner and conditions for setting apart of such fund, and the amount thereof; and declaring an emergency."

To Committee on Banking.

Message from the Governor

The following message, received from the Governor today, was read and was referred to the Committee on Nominations of the Governor:

Austin, Texas,
February 13, 1945.

To the Senate of the Forty-ninth Legislature:

I ask the advice, consent, and con-

firmation of the Senate with respect to the following appointments:

To be a member and Chairman of the State Commission for the Blind for a six year term to expire January 1, 1951:

Walter Buckner of San Marcos, Hays County.

To be a member of the State Commission for the Blind for a six year term to expire January 1, 1951:

W. H. Earl of Waco, McLennan County.

To be Secretary of State for the term expiring January 21, 1947:

Claude Isbell of Rockwall, Rockwall County.

Respectfully submitted,
COKE R. STEVENSON,
Governor of Texas.

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Bullock, by unanimous consent, submitted at this time the following report:

Austin, Texas,
February 12, 1945.

Hon. John Lee Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Education, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 116, have had the same under consideration and beg to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

BULLOCK, Chairman.

Resolutions Signed

The President signed in the presence of the Senate the following resolutions:

S. C. R. No. 10.

S. C. R. No. 8.

Senate Bill 69 on Second Reading

Senator Moffett moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 69 be taken up for consideration at this time.

(Senator Martin in Chair)

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin

Brown

Bullock
Carney
Chadick
Crawford
Graves
Hazlewood
Jones
Knight
Lane
Lanning
Martin
Mauritz
Metcalf

Moffett
Moore
Morris
Parrish
Ramsey
Stanford
Stone
Sulak
Taylor
Vick
Weinert
Winfield
York

Absent—Excused

Kelley
Shivers

Spears

The Presiding Officer laid the bill before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 69, A bill to be entitled "An Act making a supplemental emergency appropriation for the Adjutant General's Department, State Service Office, for the balance of the fiscal year beginning February 1, 1945, and ending August 31, 1945, being an appropriation in addition to other appropriations heretofore made, available immediately, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 69 on Third Reading

Senator Hazlewood moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 69 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin
Brown
Bullock
Carney
Chadick
Crawford
Graves
Hazlewood
Jones
Knight
Lane
Metcalf
Moffett
Moore

Morris
Parrish
Ramsey
Stanford
Stone
Sulak
Taylor
Vick
Lanning
Martin
Mauritz
Weinert
Winfield
York

Absent—Excused

Kelley
Shivers

Spears

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Senate Bill 85 on Second Reading

Senator Metcalfe moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 85 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The Presiding Officer laid the bill before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 85, a bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 88, House Bill No. 6, Section 13, Acts of the Forty-first Legislature, Second Called Session, as amended by the Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Regular

Session, Chapter 178, Section 1, House Bill No. 459, as amended by the Acts of the Forty-eighth Legislature, Regular Session, Chapter 51, Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, House Bill No. 273, to permit the State Highway Department to issue for the 1946, 1947, and 1948 registration years single plate or plates of metal or other material, symbols, tabs; or other devices, in connection with or in lieu of the motor vehicle license plate or plates; authorizing the Highway Department to prescribe the place of attachment of the license plate or plates, symbols, tabs or other devices; amending Chapter 178, House Bill No. 459, Section 2, Acts of the Forty-third Legislature, Regular Session, to provide for the design, specifications and purchase of such registration insignia; repealing all laws in conflict herewith; providing a saving clause; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 85 on Third Reading

Senator Metcalfe moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 85 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The Presiding Officer then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

(President in the Chair)

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Senate Bill 68 on Second Reading

Senator Lanning moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 68 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Shivers	Spears
Kelley	

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 68, A bill to be entitled "An Act to appropriate Twelve Hundred Twenty-eight Dollars and Ninety Cents (\$1,228.90) out of any money in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the Railway Express Agency, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 68 on Third Reading

Senator Lanning moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 68 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Senate Bill 91 on Second Reading

Senator Lanning moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 91 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 91, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Senate Bill No. 99, Acts of the Second Called Session of the Thirty-eighth Legislature, same being codified as Article 4362 in the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, to authorize the Comptroller to appoint and designate assistants to the bond clerk and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 91 on Third Reading

Senator Lanning moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 91 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Hazlewood
Brown	Jones
Bullock	Knight
Carney	Lane
Chadick	Lanning
Crawford	Martin
Graves	Mauritz
Metcalf	Stone
Moffett	Sulak
Moore	Taylor
Morris	Vick
Parrish	Weinert
Stanford	Winfield
Ramsey	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Motion to Place Senate Bill 50 on Second Reading

Senator Chadick moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 50 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary vote of four-fifths of the members of the Senate):

Yeas—22

Aikin	Moffett
Brown	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Jones	Stone
Knight	Sulak
Lane	Taylor
Lanning	Vick
Mauritz	Weinert

Nays—6

Bullock	Metcalf
Hazlewood	Winfield
Martin	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Senate Bill 34 on Second Reading

Senator Vick moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 34 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 34, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 6204 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas of 1925, as same was amended in 1931, and as again amended in 1943, so as to eliminate therefrom the levy of any tax, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 34 on Third Reading

Senator Vick moved that the Constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 34 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lane
Brown	Lanning
Bullock	Martin
Carney	Mauritz
Chadick	Metcalf
Crawford	Moffett
Graves	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Jones	Parrish
Knight	Ramsey

Stanford
Stone
Sulak
Taylor

Vick
Weinert
Winfield
York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Motion to Place Senate Bill 90 on Second Reading

Senator Morris moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 90 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion was lost by the following vote (not receiving the necessary vote of four-fifths of the members of the Senate):

Yeas—24

Aikin	Morris
Brown	Ramsey
Bullock	Stone
Carney	Sulak
Chadick	Knight
Crawford	Lane
Hazlewood	Lanning
Jones	Martin
Mauritz	Taylor
Metcalf	Weinert
Moffett	Winfield
Moore	York

Nays—3

Graves	Vick
Parrish	

Absent

Stanford

Absent—Excused

Kelley

Spears

Shivers

Senate Bill 97 on Second Reading

Senator Chadick moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 97 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas 27

Aikin	Moffett
Brown	Moore
Bullock	Morris
Carney	Parrish
Chadick	Ramsey
Crawford	Stanford
Graves	Stone
Hazlewood	Sulak
Jones	Taylor
Knight	Vick
Lane	Weinert
Lanning	Winfield
Mauritz	York
Metcalf	

Absent

Martin

Absent—Excused

Kelley

Spears

Shivers

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 97, A bill to be entitled "An Act ordering and authorizing the State Board of Control to convey to the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas for the use of the State Agricultural Experiment Station Sweet Potato Laboratory at Gilmer, Upshur County, approximately 81 acres of land, a part of the lands formerly used by the State Colored Orphans and reserving the mineral interest for the benefit of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum and Colored Orphans at Austin, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 97 on Third Reading

Senator Chadick moved that the

constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 97 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley

Spears

Shivers

The President then laid the bill before the Senate on its third and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley

Spears

Shivers

(President pro tempore in the Chair)

Senate Bill 7 on Second Reading

Senator Carney moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 7 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 7, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending S. B. No. 111, Chapter 61, Page 100 of the General Laws passed by the Second Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, by adding to Section 38 thereof, a new section to be known as Sec. 38-a, providing that building and loan associations organized under the laws of this state may make loans pursuant to the provisions of Sections 500, 501, 504 and 505 of Chapter V. Title III of the Act of Congress, entitled "Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 7 on Third Reading

Senator Carney moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 7 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Lane
Brown	Lanning
Bullock	Martin
Carney	Mauritz
Chadick	Metcalf
Crawford	Moffett
Graves	Moore
Hazlewood	Morris
Jones	Parrish
Knight	Ramsey

Stanford
Stone
Sulak
Taylor

Vick
Weinert
Winfield
York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time and was passed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Sulak
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Stanford
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Senate Bill 8 on Second Reading

Senator Carney moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. 8 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Morris
Brown	Parrish
Bullock	Ramsey
Carney	Stanford
Chadick	Stone
Crawford	Sulak
Graves	Taylor
Hazlewood	Vick
Jones	Lanning
Knight	Martin
Lane	Mauritz
Metcalf	Weinert
Moffett	Winfield
Moore	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President pro tempore laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 8, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Subsection 1 of Section 30 of Senate Bill No. 111, Chapter 61, Page 100 of the General Laws passed by the Second Called Session of the Forty-first Legislature, as thereafter amended, providing that the name assumed by the association shall not be the name assumed by any other association incorporated under this law, nor so similar to be liable to mislead; providing that the name assumed by the association, hereafter chartered shall contain the words "building and loan association" or "savings and loan association," or "saving association" or "saving institution"; and providing that association heretofore chartered may, by amendment to their charter, change the name of their association so as to provide for such terminology; and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time and was passed to engrossment.

Senate Bill 8 on Third Reading

Senator Carney moved that the constitutional rule requiring bills to be read on three several days be suspended and that S. B. No. 8 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President pro tempore then laid the bill before the Senate on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time.

Question—Shall the bill be passed to third reading?

On motion of Senator Mauritz, the bill was tabled subject to call.

(President in the Chair)

Senate Bill 14 on Second Reading

Senator Aikin moved that Section 5 of Article III of the State Constitution be suspended and that S. B. No. 14 be taken up for consideration at this time.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—28

Aikin	Metcalf
Brown	Moffett
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Morris
Chadick	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

The President laid before the Senate on its second reading and passage to engrossment:

S. B. No. 14, A bill to be entitled "An Act defining certain duties of the governing board of the institutions of higher learning of Texas specifically defining the method of employing members of the faculty and specifically defining the procedure of dismissing members of the faculty."

The bill was read second time.

Senator Weinert moved to table the bill.

Senator Metcalfe offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend S. B. No. 14 by adding at the end of the first section the following:

"Provided that any member of any of the governing boards enumerated herein who fails to attend as many as one-fourth of the meetings of the board of which he is a member, in any one calendar year, shall automatically vacate the office to which he has been appointed."

Senator Moore moved the previous question on the amendment and the

motion to table, and the motion was duly seconded.

The main question was ordered by the following vote:

Yeas—17

Brown	Mauritz
Bullock	Moore
Carney	Parrish
Crawford	Ramsey
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Taylor
Knight	Weinert
Lanning	Winfield
Martin	

Nays—10

Aikin	Moffett
Chadick	Morris
Graves	Stanford
Lane	Vick
Metcalf	York

Absent

Sulak

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Question then first recurring on the amendment, it was adopted.

Question next recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—18

Brown	Stone
Bullock	Jones
Carney	Knight
Crawford	Lanning
Hazlewood	Martin
Mauritz	Taylor
Moore	Weinert
Parrish	Winfield
Ramsey	York

Nays—10

Aikin	Moffett
Chadick	Morris
Graves	Stanford
Lane	Sulak
Metcalf	Vick

Absent—Excused

Kelley	Spears
Shivers	

Report of Standing Committee

Senator Hazlewood, by unanimous

consent, submitted at this time the following report:

Austin, Texas,
February 12, 1945.

Hon. John Lee Smith, President of the Senate.

Sir: We, your Committee on Public Lands and Land Office to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 101, have had the same under consideration and beg to report it back to the Senate with the recommendation that it do pass.

HAZLEWOOD, Chairman.

Adjournment

Senator Chadick moved that the Senate adjourn until 11:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

Senator Hazlewood moved that the Senate adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Question first recurring on the motion of Senator Chadick, it was lost.

The motion of Senator Hazlewood prevailed; and the Senate, accordingly, at 12:20 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m. tomorrow.

TWENTY-THIRD DAY

(Wednesday, February 14, 1945)

The Senate met at 10 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by the President.

The roll was called, and the following Senators were present:

Aikin	Moffett
Brown	Moore
Bullock	Morris
Carney	Parrish
Chadick	Ramsey
Crawford	Spears
Graves	Stanford
Hazlewood	Stone
Jones	Sulak
Knight	Taylor
Lane	Vick
Lanning	Weinert
Martin	Winfield
Mauritz	York
Metcalf	

A quorum was announced present.

The Reverend J. E. Chester, Chaplain, offered the invocation.

On motion of Senator Aikin, and